# Fact Sheet: Old Aurora Recovery Roads Program





### **Project Summary:**

The City of New Orleans will implement a multi-million dollar, multi-year comprehensive infrastructure improvement program to repair Hurricane Katrina related sub-surface and road damages. Types of repairs deemed eligible for improvement by FEMA include utilities, sidewalks, American with Disabilities Act compliant ramps, driveway aprons, curbs and road paving.

### **Project Facts:**

**Phase I:** Between 2008-2009, the City of New Orleans performed citywide repairs to approximately 17,000 damage sites at an estimated cost of \$55.2 M. Completed repairs in the Old Aurora neighborhood totaled approximately \$64,000.

**Phase II:** The Old Aurora Recovery Roads program will include multiple construction repair projects with a total estimated value that is approximately \$185,000. Design of the future road repairs is scheduled to begin in Summer 2013 and is being closely coordinated with the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans. Construction in Old Aurora is currently scheduled to begin in Summer 2014 and last through Summer 2015. Road resurfacing work will be limited in some areas of Old Aurora.

### What to expect during construction:

Residents and businesses in Old Aurora should exercise caution when driving, bicycling or walking near active construction sites. Residents can expect to experience temporary construction inconveniences such as limited access to areas within the construction zones, detours, movement of heavy equipment, safety signage and sounds.

In general, construction crews will be working from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. The Old Aurora design team has not yet been named. The construction contract is scheduled to be available for bid in Spring 2014.

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## **Funding Facts:**

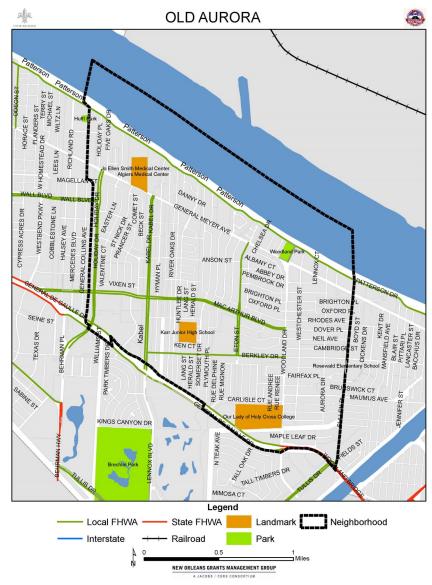
Neighborhood Area	Status	Consultants	Total Estimated Repairs
Phase I Repairs	Completed	N/A	\$193,000
Phase II Repairs	Design	TBD	\$185,000*
	Construction	TBD	
TOTAL Repairs — Old Aurora			\$378,000*

<sup>\*</sup> FEMA inspectors will be working onsite with the City's design and construction contractor teams. During construction they are likely to identify additional storm damages that may be eligible for repair. In many cases it is likely the scope of work may be adjusted to include additional repairs.

## **Project Area:**

#### **Old Aurora**

- Holiday Dr.
- Mississippi River
- Sulllen Pl.
- Woodland Hwy
- General De Gaulle Dr.



## **Partner Agencies:**





